



Docket No.: 614,1957

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoshifusa TOGAWA

Serial No. 09/285,879

Group Art Unit: 2181

Confirmation No. 4256

Filed: April 7, 1999

Examiner: Xuan Marian Thai

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, POWER CONTROL METHOD AND
RECORDING MEDIUM TO CONTROL A PLURALITY OF DRIVING UNITS
ACCORDING TO THE TYPE OF DATA TO BE PROCESSED (as amended)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on May 5, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on August 5, 2003. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for the same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to October 5, 2003. October 5, 2003 being a Sunday, this Amendment is timely filed by Monday, October 6, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	614.1957	
	Application Number	09/285,879	
	Filing Date	April 7, 1999	
	First Named Inventor	Yoshifusa TOGAWA	
	Group Art Unit	2181	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$600.00	Examiner Name	Xuan Marian Thai

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	32	- 36 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	12	- 14 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>August 5, 2003</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$920); 4 months (\$1,440); 5 months (\$1,960)):					420.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320)					
Information Disclosure Statement					\$180.00
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 600.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 600.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".


METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
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| Deposit Account No. | 19-3935 |
| Deposit Account Name | STAAS & HALSEY LLP |
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Matthew Q. Ammon	Reg. No.	50,346
Signature		Date	10-6-2003